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In re application of:)	Confirmation No.: 7183	
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For: POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL SATURATED SUBSTRATE AND

METHOD OF MAKING

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2006, please consider the enclosed Remarks and Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132. The declaration is submitted to rebut the PTO assertion of inherency by showing that the prior art products do not necessarily possess the characteristics of the presently claimed method.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.